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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 3731
PATENT**

Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Ronald D. ADAMS et al.)	Group Art Unit: 3731
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Application No.: 10/773,308)	Examiner: G. Dawson
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Filed: February 9, 2004)	
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 8, 2005, and pursuant to
37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicants propose that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper.